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| <b>REPLY/AMENDMENT<br/>FEE TRANSMITTAL</b> |         | Attorney Docket No.  | None          |
|  |         | Application Number   | 09/606,350    |
|  |         | Filing Date          | June 29, 2000 |
|  |         | First Named Inventor | Barnes        |
|  |         | Group Art Unit       | 3625          |
| AMOUNT ENCLOSED                            | \$60.00 | Examiner Name        | Jeffrey Smith |

**FEE CALCULATION**

| CLAIMS AS<br>AMENDED  | Claims Remaining<br>After Amendment | Highest Number<br>Previously Paid For | Number<br>Extra | Rate        | Calculations  |
|---|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------|-------------|---------------|
| TOTAL CLAIMS  | 67                                  | 70                                    | 0               | X \$18.00 = | 0.00          |
| INDEPENDENT CLAIMS  | 8                                   | 8                                     | 0               | X \$84.00 = | 0.00          |
| Since an Official Action set an <u>original</u> due date of <u>March 1, 2006</u> petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110); 2 months (\$400); 3 months (\$950); 4 months (\$1,510); 5 months (\$2,060)): 5 months |                                     |                                       |                 |             | \$120         |
| If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$110)   |                                     |                                       |                 |             | +             |
| Total of above Calculations =   |                                     |                                       |                 |             | \$0.0         |
| Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)   |                                     |                                       |                 |             | \$60.00       |
| <b>TOTAL FEES DUE =</b>   |                                     |                                       |                 |             | <b>\$60.0</b> |

- (1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0".  
(2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20".  
(4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".  
(5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".

**METHOD OF PAYMENT**

- ☒ Check enclosed as payment.  
☐ Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No., below.

**AUTHORIZATION**

- ☒ If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees under 37 CFR 1.16 or 1.17 necessary to maintain pendency of the present application to:

Deposit Account No.:

50-0687

OrderNo.: (Client/Matter)

Manelli Denison &amp; Selter

**SUBMITTED BY: Manelli Denison & Selter, PLLC**

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| Typed Name | Melvin L. Barnes, Jr. | Reg. No. | 38,375  |
| Signature  |                       | Date     | 3/27/05 |

Application No.: 09/606,350  
Office Action Dated: December 1, 2005



PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

**Melvin L. Barnes, Jr.**

Confirmation No.: **7051**

Application No.: **09/606,350**

Group Art Unit: **3625**

Filing Date: **June 29, 2000**

Examiner: **Jeffrey Smith**

For: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROVIDING COMMUNICATIONS  
TRANSMISSIONS**

Box Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**REPLY PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.111**

In response to the Official Action dated **December 1, 2005**, reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the amendments and remarks as indicated below:

- ☐ **Amendments to the Specification** begin on page      of this paper.
- ☒ **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- ☐ **Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page      of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.
- ☒ **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 15 of this paper.